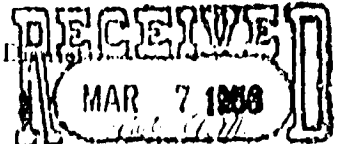


NO. 147-5Water Division No. 2

(Blanks to be filled by the State Engineer.)



APPLICATION FOR PERMIT To Appropriate Water within the State of South Dakota

(NOTE—Draw a line through items not applicable.)

1. Name of applicant Lawrence S. Sierikas & Edith L.
Postoffice address Huron, County Beadle, State S. Dak.

- I. If a corporation _____
- (a) Name of same _____
- (b) Date and place of incorporation _____
- (c) Amount of capital stock _____
- (d) Amount paid in _____
- (e) Names and address of directors: _____

(NOTE—A certified copy of articles of incorporation must accompany the application.)

II. Method of accomplishing the work and financial resources of the applicant:

- (a) Method of accomplishing work (Whether by contract, employment of others, or by direct labor) Contract
- (b) Cash on hand, \$ _____ (c) Treasury stock, \$ _____
- (d) Bonds to be issued, \$ _____ (e) Other resources, \$ _____

2. Name of diversion work _____
3. Quantity of water claimed 2 cubic feet per second.
4. Source of water supply Well
5. Location of point of diversion Section 33, 112, 61
_____ or _____ bank, _____ County.
6. Annual periods during which water is to be used March 1st thru November 30
7. To be used for:

I. Irrigation or domestic use: Gravity, overhead sprinkling or combination system? Sprinkler

- (a) Number of acres to be irrigated 320 acres.
- (b) Legal subdivisions to be irrigated E. 1/2 Section 33, 112, 61
- (c) Statement as to domestic use (giving location, etc.) _____

(NOTE—A list of lands to be irrigated, giving each subdivision and fraction, with rates of flow, must be written here, or may be appended as a part of this application. Same must also be shown on accompanying map.)

II. Stockwatering, mining, milling, power, fish culture, fire protection and public recreation:

- (a) Nature of use _____
Some or of the above uses claimed.
- (b) Amount of power to be generated _____ horse power.
Amount claimed for engine cooling _____
- (c) Location of _____
- (d) Method of developing power _____
- (e) Point where water will be returned to stream _____

8. Estimated cost of work:

(a) Head gates, \$----- (b) Pumping plant, \$-----
 (c) Fluming, \$----- (d) Canal-earth, \$----- Rock, \$-----
 (e) Other structures \$----- Total, \$-----

9. Description of diversion works:

1. Nature of works: (Reservoir, dam, ditch, flume, pumping plant, etc.)

II. Dimensions of works:

- (a) Dam: Height-----feet; length at bottom-----feet; length at top-----feet; thickness at bottom-----feet; thickness at top-----feet; slope at front water face-----; slope of back face-----; material used in construction-----
 (b) Reservoir: Capacity when filled-----acre feet. Surface area at highwater mark-----acres.

DEPTH AT OUTLET-Feet	SURFACE AREA AT EACH-----FEET DEPTH AT OUTLET--ACRES	ACRE-Feet CAPACITY

(c)* Head gate: Width-----feet; height-----feet;

Material-----

(d) Canal: Total length-----miles.

LOCATION BELOW HEADGATE	DEPTH	BOTTOM WIDTH	WIDTH AT WATER-LINE	GRADE PER MILE
At -----Mile	-----feet	-----feet	-----feet	-----feet
At -----Mile	-----feet	-----feet	-----feet	-----feet
At -----Mile	-----feet	-----feet	-----feet	-----feet
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At -----Mile	-----feet	-----feet	-----feet	-----feet
At -----Mile	-----feet	-----feet	-----feet	-----feet

(Give dimensions where reductions in size are made.)

10. Time required for completion of work-----3-----years.

11. Time required for complete application of water to the proposed beneficial use 1-----years.

12. Choice of newspaper for publication of notice of intention to appropriate-----
Daily Plainsman, Huron, S. Dak.

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA

County of Beadle } ss.

I, Lawrenc S. Slepikas & Edith L., being first duly sworn on my oath depose and say: That my relation to the above described undertaking is that of owner, that I have read the above foregoing statement, examined the map accompanying the same, and that I know of my own personal knowledge that the matters therein stated and shown are true.

Signed:

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of February, 1956

Notary Public (or other qualified officer.)

Water Resources Commission
Remarks by State Engineer

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA

County of

Dugess

ss.

Pierre, South Dakota, Mar. 12, 1956

This is to certify that the foregoing application was received at this office at 9:30 o'clock
A m. upon the 7 day of Mar., 1956 and that after it was found to comply with the South Dakota water laws, was published in accordance with the
thereof and consideration given to any and all information presented.

J. W. Brimes
Chief Engineer State Engineer

Number of permit 149-3

Date of first receipt of application Mar. 7, 1956

Date of return to applicant for correction Mar. 9, 1956

Date of receipt of corrected application Mar. 13, 1956

Date from which applicant may claim right Mar. 7, 1956

Approved May 7, 1956, Recorded in Book 2 Page 137

This is to certify that I have examined the foregoing application for a permit to appropriate water of the State of South Dakota, and I hereby grant the same as stated herein, subject, however, to the following limitations and conditions:

- 1st. The equivalent of at least one-fifth, of the work above specified is to be completed on or before December 30, 1957
- 2nd. The whole of said work is to be completed on or before June 30, 1959
- 3rd. The limit of time for proof of beneficial use of water appropriated in accordance herewith is June 30, 1960
- 4th. The water appropriated shall be used for the purpose of irrigation

5th. The prior right of all persons who, by compliance with the laws of the State of South Dakota, have acquired a right to the use of water must not be injuriously affected by this appropriation.

6th. The amount of the appropriation herein granted shall not exceed 4.0 cubic feet per second; neither shall it exceed the capacity of the above described system of diversion works, nor the least amount of water that experience may hereafter indicate as necessary for the production of crops in the exercise of the best husbandry; and further, said appropriation must be limited to not more than one-seventieth (1/70) of one cubic foot of water per second of time for each acre of land to which water is actually and beneficially applied for irrigation on or before June 30, 1960; said water to be used during the following described annual period:

March to November inclusive

Witness my hand this 20 day of June, 1956

J. W. Brimes
State Engineer

Certificate of Construction issued

SEPTEMBER 27, 1967

Water License issued

SEPTEMBER 27, 1967

June 27 1956
Huron S. Dak.

State Water Resources Com.

Dear Sirs:

Upon request of your letter
of May 8, 1956 you wanted
\$.75 recording fees and
inclosing same.

We are using both gravity
and sprinkler. Therefore our
capacities vary. Also would it
be possible to increase our
water right to four cu. ft per sec.
as we have a well of over five
cu. ft. per sec.

We are using the Rain Bird
models 30 & 40 heads with $\frac{1}{4}$ in.
nozzles with a pressure of 45 pounds with 1/8 sprinkler
heads.

Sincerely yours
L. S. Shickles

9. (continued)

III. Well Specifications

(a) Hole and casing

Size of drill hole or excavation 36"

Depth 170'

Type of casing Steel
(wood, concrete, steel, etc.)

Size of casing 18", Thickness of casing 10 gage
length of casing 130'. If collection gallery,
length, size, and depth of gallery _____.

(b) Screens

Type of perforated screen Behlen

Size of perforated screen 3/16", _____
(diameter) (length)

Thickness of gravel pack 9", length of gravel
pack _____.

(c) Water Bearing Materials

Distance to water 55'.

Character of water bearing materials _____
Fine and medium sand

Thickness of water bearing material 75'

(d) Pump and Motor

Type of pump Turbine
(centrifugal, propeller, mixed flow, etc.)

Name of pump _____, size _____

Kind of motor _____
(gasoline, electric, diesel, etc.)

Horsepower _____

Name of motor _____

(e) Complete well

Capacity _____ at drawdown of _____

Estimated cost \$2150.00

(f) Owner of land upon which well is located Lawrence
Name

S. Slepikas, Huron, S. Dak.
Address

(g) Distance to nearest existing wells

On same Owner's property 250 ft rods

On property owned by others 600 rods

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA

WATER LICENSE No. 149-3

WHEREAS, On the 7th day of March A. D. 1956
Laurence S. and Edith Slapikna
 of Huron County of Leadle and State of
South Dakota duly made application (No. 149-3) to us for a permit to use 4.0
 cubic feet per second of the waters of ground water
 County of Leadle, State of South Dakota, for Irrigation
 purposes; and

WHEREAS, On the 30th day of June A. D. 1956
 Permit No. 149-3 was issued to said applicant for the diversion of said water, and providing for the
 completion of the works of diversion therein described on or before the 30th day of
June A. D. 1959 and for the application to beneficial use of said
 water on or before the 30th day of June A. D. 1960
 and,

WHEREAS, On the 15th day of August A. D. 1967
 the holder of said permit duly made proof of the completion of adequate works for the diversion of
4.00 cubic feet per second of said waters, as evidenced by our Certificate No. 149-3
 dated September 27, 1967 confirming the completion of works of sufficient capacity for
 diverting and conveying to the place of intended use 4.0 cubic feet per second of water, with date of
 priority of March 7, 1956 and,

WHEREAS, On the 15th day of August A. D. 1967
 proof was duly made of the application to beneficial use of 4.0 cubic feet per second of said water;
for irrigating 320 acres on the E $\frac{1}{2}$ Section 33, T112N, R61W

NOW, THEREFORE, By the virtue of the authority vested in us by the laws of the State of South Dakota,
We hereby grant and confirm to Lawrence S. and Edith L. Slepikae
of Huron the holder S and owner S of said permit No. 149-3
a water right, dating from March 7, 1916 to the use of
cubic feet per second of the waters of Ground water
in the County of Beadle and State of South Dakota, or so much thereof as may be
necessray for the purposes hereinafter mentioned, to be diverted at a point N 89° 47' W, 1320 feet
from the E 1/4 corner, Section 33, T112N, R61W
as stated to and upon the E 1/4, Section 33, T112N, R61W

for the purpose of irrigation, subject to any limitations listed in
the Permit to Appropriate Water, and

subject, however, to the laws of the State of South Dakota applicable to a license for the use of the waters of the State, and subject, also to the local or community customs, rules and regulations which have been or may be adopted from time to time by a majority of the users from a common source of supply, canal or lateral from which such water may be taken, when such rules and regulations have for their object the economical use of such water.

WITNESS. My hand and seal of our office at Pierre, South Dakota,
this 27th day of September A. D. Nineteen
Hundred and Six tyen.

State Water Resources Commission

By:

J.W. GRIMES
Chief Engineer, Executive Officer

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA

Water Licen. No. -----
To -----

Source of Supply -----
----- County -----
Am't ----- c. f. s. -----
Point of Diversion -----

Place of Use -----

Purpose -----

Date of Priority -----
Recorded -----
in Book ----- of ----- Page -----

Permit No. 149-3

Water Division No. _____ Water District _____

Certificate of Completion of Works

TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

This is to Certify, That Lawrence and Edith Slepikasof Huron, County of Beadle, and State of South Dakota, the holder of Permit No. 149-3, Issued upon ApplicationNo. 149-3, bearing date of priority of March 7, 1956, authorizing the diversion of4.0 cu. ft. per second of the waters of ground waterCounty of Beadle, State of South Dakota, at a point N 29° 47' W1320 feet from the E $\frac{1}{2}$ corner, Section 33, T112N, R61Wfor irrigationpurposes, have fully complied with the provisions of the laws of the State of South Dakota relating to proof of completion of the works of diversion set out and described in said Permit; that said works are found in satisfactory condition for diverting and conveying to the place of intended use 4.0 cu. ft.

per second of water; and that the lands proposed to be irrigated by the use of said water are described as follows,

to-wit: E $\frac{1}{2}$ Section 33, T112N, R61WWitness my hand this 27th day of September A. D. 1967

State Water Resources Commission

By:

J.W. GRINES
Chief Engineer, Executive Officer

No. 149-3(First Publication before April 13, 1956)

APPROPRIATION OF WATER

Office of State Water Resources Commission,

Pierre, S. Dak., March 27, 1956

Notice is hereby given that Lawrence S. and Edith L. Slerikas whose postoffice address is 6311, Huron, S. Dak., has made an application in accordance with the provisions of the water laws of South Dakota for a permit to appropriate for beneficial use 3.0 cubic feet of water per second of time from ~~xx~~ ground water through ~~xx~~ a well, the point of diversion of which is to be located ~~xxxxxx~~ in the ~~xxxxxx~~ NE $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 33 Twp. 112N. Range 61E. Said water to be used for the purpose of providing irrigation on the following described land:

Ed, Sec. 33, T. 112N, R. 61E

~~xxxxxx~~

~~xxxxxx~~

This application will be taken up by the State Water Resources Commission at their office at Pierre for consideration upon the 7th day of May, 1956, at 2:00 P.M. All interested persons may appear and be heard.

Appropriate action will be taken by the Water Resources Commission after suitable time has elapsed for the consideration of any or all information presented.

State Water Resources Commission

By:

J. W. Grimes, Chief Engineer, Executive Officer

cc: Bert Lusk, Publisher
Daily Plainsman

PRINTER'S AFFIDAVIT

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA, } ss.
COUNTY OF BEADLE

I, L. J. Misher

being duly sworn on oath, say that THE HURONITE AND DAILY PLAINSMAN is a daily paper published at Huron, Beadle County, South Dakota and that said newspaper has a bona fide circulation of at least 250 copies daily; that said newspaper has been published within said county for fifty-two consecutive weeks immediately prior to this date; that said newspaper is printed in whole or in part, in an office maintained at said place of publication; that I am publisher Assistant Publisher of said newspaper and know the facts herein stated. The annexed notice headed

Appropriation of water

was published for 4 successive weeks once each week, the same day each week, in said newspaper, and not in any supplement of the said newspaper, the first publication on the 3 day of April 19 56 and the last publication on the 24 day of April, 19 56.

That the full amount of the fee charged for publishing the same, to-wit:

\$10.50

Dollars inures to the benefit of the publisher of said newspaper; that no agreement or understanding for the division thereof has been made with any other person, and that no part thereof has been agreed to be paid to any person whomsoever.

L. J. Misher

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 28 day

of

April, 19 56.

A. J. Japowich
Notary Public South Dakota

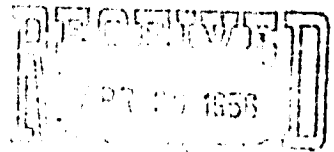
AFFIDAVIT OF AGENT OR ATTORNEY

STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA, } ss.
COUNTY OF

I, _____ being duly sworn on oath, say that I am the authorized attorney for the party foreclosing the mortgage described in the annexed notice; that no agreement or understanding for any division of the fees therefor has been made with any person whomsoever, and that no part thereof has been refunded or rebated by the party publishing this notice.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this _____

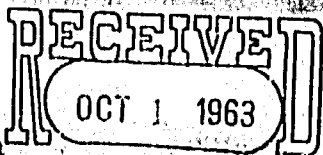
day of _____, 19...



STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA

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F. P. 14-3-56
APPROPRIATION OF WATER
Office of State Water Resources
Commission, Pierre, S. Dak.
March 27, 1956
Notice is hereby given that Lawrence S. and Edith L. Slepikas whose postoffice address is R.H. 1, Huron, S. Dak., has made an application in accordance with the provisions of the water laws of South Dakota for a permit to appropriate for beneficial use 3/4 cubic feet of water per second of time from ground water through a well the point of diversion of which is to be located in the SW 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of Section 33, Twp. 212N, Range 61W. Said water to be used for the purpose of providing irrigation on the following described land: Sec. 33, Twp. 212N, R. 61W. This application will be taken up by the State Water Resources Commission at their office at Pierre for consideration on the 7th day of May, 1956. At that time all interested persons may appear and be heard. Appropriate action will be taken by the Water Resources Commission after suitable time has been considered for any objections or representations presented. State Water Resources Commission By: J. W. Grimes, Chief Engineer, Executive Officer No. 125 (adv)

PROCEEDINGS OF THE

Permit No. 149-3Water Division No. 3James River Water DistrictSTATE WATER RESOURCES COMM.
PIERRE, SOUTH DAKOTA

NOTICE OF COMPLETION OF WORKS

This blank must be filled out by the holder of permit and forwarded to the Executive Officer at least 60 days before the time set for completion of works

(P. O.)

Huron, S.D. R-1

(Date)

Sept. 28, 1963

TO THE STATE WATER RESOURCES COMMISSION
OF SOUTH DAKOTA, PIERRE:

DEAR SIR: Notice is hereby given of the completion of the works for the diversion of _____

_____ 4 cu. ft. per second of the waters of the state from Well
through the Sprinkler System
for Irrigation + Domestic purposes

_____ In accordance with the terms and conditions of a certain permit heretofore issued by the Water Resources Commission of the State of South Dakota.

1. The name of the person or corporation holding said permit is _____

Lawrence L. Sepikas & Edith L. Sepikas

2. The postoffice address of such person or the place of business of such corporation is Huron, R-1

County of Beadle State of S.D.

3. The number of such permit is 149-3 and the date set for the completion of such work is _____

_____ Completed
4. Said water to be used for Irrigation purposes.

5. Said works of diversion will be fully completed on the date set for such completion, and the amount of water which said works are capable of conducting to the place of intended use, in accordance with the plans accompanying the application for such permit, is _____ 4 cubic feet per second.

6. The amount of land for which said water is available is _____ 320 acres,
particularly described as follows: Erat 1/2 Sec. 33-112-61

I hereby certify that the facts set forth in the above notice are true.

(Signature of Owners)

Edith L. SepikasLawrence L. Sepikas

Permit No. 149-3

Water Division No.

3 James R.

Water District

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STATE WATER RESOURCES COMM.
PIERRE, SOUTH DAKOTA

Notice of Application of Water to Beneficial Use

(This blank must be filled out by holder of permit and forwarded to the State Water Resources Commission at least sixty days before the time set for application of water.)

(P. O.)

General S. H. Porter -

57350

(Date)

Sept 28, 1963

TO THE STATE WATER RESOURCES COMMISSION OF SOUTH DAKOTA, PIERRE:

DEAR SIR: Notice is hereby given that on the _____ day of _____

19_____, at _____ County of _____ State of South Dakota.

before _____ proof will be submitted of the application to beneficial use
(Examining Engineer or Officer)

(Examining Engineer or Officer)

of 4 cubic feet per second of the waters of Well.

In accordance with the terms and conditions of Permit No. 149-3

heretofore issued by the Water Resources Commission of South Dakota.

1. The name and postoffice address of the person or corporation holding said permit are

Lawrence S. Shapiro & Edith S. Shapiro

2. The use to which said water has been applied is irrigation of domestic use

Irrigation & Domestic Use

3. The amount applied to beneficial use is

4. The place where said water is used is (if for irrigation, give full and accurate description of the lands irrigated) 320 acres E. 2 Sect. 33-112, 61

5. The name of the canal, or ditch or other works by which said water is conducted to such place of use is

Spunkle & Gravity

6. The right to take the water from such works is based upon permit No. 149-3

7. The source of supply from which such water is diverted is Well

Well

8. The date of priority which said user is prepared to establish is Mar. 7, 1957

Mar. 7, 1954

(Sign)

n) L. S. Clark
Edith L. Lepitow

Permit No.

149-3
JAMES

Water Division No. 3

RIVER

Water District

Certificate of Examination of Works

Report of Examining Engineer

To the State Water Resources Commission, Pierre, South Dakota:

Dear Sirs: I hereby certify that ~~as recorded on the ground later of authorization~~

I have this day made a thorough examination of the diversion works constructed by

LAWRENCE S & EDITH SLEPILAS, of HURON

BEADLE

County, South Dakota, holder of Permit No.

149-3

issued

upon Application No. 149-3, bearing date of priority of MARCH 7, 1956 authorizing the

diversion of 4.0 cu. ft. per second of the waters of GROUND WATER for IRRIGATION

purposes. I have to report on the condition of the same as follows:

The diversion works comprise: 110' 16" WELL WITH BYRON JACKSON 8" PUMP-
6 STAGE 12" BOWLS, POWERED BY DEBOO CATERPILLAR ENGINE
RATED @ 98 H.P. 1320' 10" MAINLINE TO POINT OF 1310' VALLEY
SELF PROPELLED SYSTEM WITH 1/64 TO 5/8 NOZZLES @ 30'
SPACINGS, 1/4 MILE 7" & 1/8 MILE 6" MAINLINE 1/4 MILE 5" & 1/4 MILE
4" SPRINKLER LINES (see below)
and the system is in the following condition: EXCELLENT

The point of diversion is located N 39° 47' 11" W, 1320' FROM THE E 1/4
CORNER SECTION 33, T112N, R61W

The works are capable of diverting and conveying to the place of use 4.0 cu. ft. per second of water,
which is to be used for IRRIGATION

The legal sub-divisions to be irrigated are: E 1/2, SECTION 33, T112N, R61W

comprising a total of 320 acres of land.

The domestic use intended comprises

~~The authorization for power, mining, or other beneficial uses comprises~~

WITH RAINBIRD #30 SPRINKLER HEADS @ 30' SPACINGS,
ALSO VERMEER #140 BOOM, SPRINKLER LINES &
VERMEER BOOM ALSO USED ON WATER RIGHT 563-3

Witness my hand, this

15TH

day of

AUGUST

1967

--SEAL--

E. J. J. J.
WATER RIGHT SPECIALIST
WATER RESOURCES COMMISSIONER



Department of Water & Natural Resources

Joe Foss Building
523 East Capitol
Pierre, South Dakota 57501-3181

March 23, 1987

BUELL SLEPIKAS-OPERATOR
RT 2 BOX 245
HURON, SD 57350

NOTICE

Re: Violation of Requirement To Submit 1986 Irrigation
Questionnaire

Our records indicate that the 1986 Irrigation Questionnaire has not been submitted for Permit No(s). 149-3. The request for the Questionnaire was dated November 3, 1986. The Water Management Board has directed that owners of water permits who have not submitted 1986 Irrigation Questionnaires be given notice of hearing(s) to be held by the Board to determine if any action is to be taken concerning the violation.

The hearings will be held at 2:00 pm, May 6, 1987 in Room 216, Joe Foss Building, 523 E Capitol, Pierre SD.

The hearing will be conducted pursuant to the provisions of SDCL 46-1-12, 46-1-14, 46-2-9, 46-2-11 and 46-2-17. These are contested case hearings pursuant to procedures contained in SDCL 1-26. Following the hearing(s), the Water Management Board can:

1. Amend Permit No(s). 149-3 to require the Irrigation Water Use Questionnaire to be submitted each year;
2. Postpone any action;
3. Take no action.

The hearing(s) is an adversary proceeding. The permit owner has the right to be present or to be represented by a lawyer. These and other due process rights will be forfeited if they are not exercised. Decisions of the Board may be appealed to the Circuit Court and the State Supreme Court as provided by law.

JOHN HATCH, Chief Engineer
Water Rights Division
605 773-3352

NOTE: If the questionnaire(s) is received in this office before the hearing date, your name will be deleted from the agenda for the hearing.

cc: Lawrence & Edith Slepikas, RR 2, Huron SD 57350

SOUTH DAKOTA Department of
Water & Natural Resources

Joe Foss Building
523 East Capitol
Pierre, South Dakota 57501-3181

April 13, 1987

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LeRoy & Buell Strikas
RR #2 Box 245
Huron, SD 57350

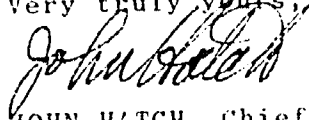
Dear Gentlemen:

This will acknowledge receipt of and thank you for the return of your 1986 Irrigation Questionnaires. A notice was sent to you March 23, 1987 regarding the Irrigation Questionnaire submittal violation of Water Right Nos. 149-3 and 563-3 and the date hearings were to be held before the Water Management Board to determine any action to be taken concerning the violation.

Please disregard the notice sent to you dated March 23, 1987. Your name has been deleted from the agenda pertaining to these hearings.

If you have any questions, please contact us.

Very truly yours,



JOHN HATCH, Chief Engineer
Water Rights Division
605 773-3352

149-3



DEPARTMENT of ENVIRONMENT
and NATURAL RESOURCES

JOE FOSS BUILDING
523 EAST CAPITOL
PIERRE SOUTH DAKOTA 57501-3181

May 18, 1993

Leroy Slepikas
RR #2 Box 246
Huron, SD 57350

Dear Mr. Slepikas:

I am writing to you with reference to ownership of Water Right Nos. 149-3 and 2569-3. You indicated on your 1992 irrigation questionnaires that Water Right No. 149-3 should be listed in your name and Water Right No. 2569-3 should be listed in the names of Scott and Leroy Slepikas.

In order to file an ownership and/or name change on a water right or permit, it is necessary to complete a "Notice of Transfer of Ownership" with our office. Enclosed, are two partially completed transfer forms. Please check over the forms for accuracy and complete where necessary. Once the forms have been completed, they need to be signed in the presence of a notary public by the new owner(s).

Upon completion, return the forms to our office with a required filing fee of \$2.50 each (total of \$5.00). If you have any questions, please contact me.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Genny McMath".

Genny McMath
Natural Resources Analyst
Water Rights Division
(605) 773-3352

enclosures



149-3

DEPARTMENT of ENVIRONMENT
and NATURAL RESOURCES

JOE FOSS BUILDING
523 EAST CAPITOL
PIERRE SOUTH DAKOTA 57501-3181

July 29, 1993

SECOND NOTICE
Permit No. 149-3
2569-3

Leroy Slepikas
RR 2, Box 246
Huron, SD 57350

Dear Mr. Slepikas:

On May 18, 1993, notice was sent to you concerning the transfer of Water Right Nos. 149-3 and 2569-3 in the name of Lawrence S. & Edith L. Slepikas and LeRoy Slepikas. To date, we have not heard from you on this matter.

Transfer forms were previously sent to you, enclosed are additional forms. Please sign, have notarized and return the forms to this office with the required filing fee of \$2.50 per transfer, a total of \$5.00. The Water Rights can then be transferred to your name. If you are not the present owner of the land covered under these Water Rights, please notify this office. It is very important that ownership records be kept current. South Dakota Water Law 46-5-30.3 requires Notice of any sale, grant, lease, conveyance or other transfer of a Water Permit or Water Right to appropriate water to be filed with this office within ninety days.

If you have any questions, please contact Genny McMath, (605) 773-3352.

Very truly yours,

RON DUVALL
Natural Resources Engineer
for John Hatch, Chief Engineer
Water Rights Division

enclosure

SENDER:

- Complete items 1 and 2 for additional services.
 - Complete items 3, and 4a & b.
 - Print your name and address on the reverse of this form so that we can return this card to you.
 - Attach this form to the front of the mailpiece, or on the back if space does not permit.
 - Write "Return Receipt Requested" on the mailpiece below the article number.
- The Return Receipt will show to whom the article was delivered and the date received.

I also wish to receive the following services (for an extra fee):

1. ☐ Addressee's Address

2. ☐ Restricted Delivery

Consult postmaster for fee.

3. Article Addressed to:

Leroy Slepikas
RR 2, Box 246
Huron, SD 57350

2569-3

149-3

1a. Article Number

P 318 052 539

4b. Service Type

☐ Registered

☐ Insured

☒ Certified

☐ COD

☐ Express Mail

☐ Return Receipt for Merchandise

7. Date of Delivery

7-30-93

5. Signature (Addressee)

6. Signature (Agent)

Leroy Slepikas

8. Addressee's Address (Only if requested and fee is paid)

PS Form 3811, December 1991

U.S. GPO: 1992-323-002

DOMESTIC RETURN RECEIPT

Thank you for using Return Receipt Service.

149-3

NOTICE OF TRANSFER OF OWNERSHIP

To Chief Engineer
Water Rights Division, DENR
523 E. Capitol
Pierre, SD 57501-3181



No. 149-3

Date: 8/4/93

I/We request that Water Right No. 149-3

formerly owned by: Lawrence S & Edith L. Slepikas

be transferred to (name & address) Larry Slepikas R#2 Box 246 Huron, S.D.
(Telephone No) 352-5653

Title to the following described land(s)/property has been transferred as described above:

320 acres in the E 1/2 Section 33, T112N, R61W

I/We understand that the validity of Water Right No. 149-3 has not been determined by this transfer action. If I/We have any questions on validity, I/We understand that only the Water Management Board has the authority to determine if a water permit/right is valid (see note).

You are requested to file this "Notice of Transfer" in the appropriate file at the Division of Water Rights, as evidence of the change of ownership.

A fee of Two Dollars and Fifty Cents (\$2.50) is attached to cover the filing fees as required under SDCL 46-2-13.

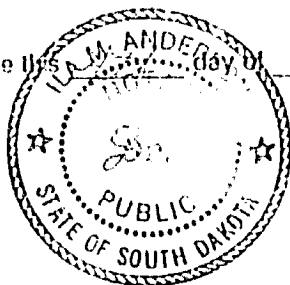
STATE OF SOUTH DAKOTA)

County of Butte)

I/We Larry Slepikas being first duly sworn on my oath depose and say that my relation to the above described undertaking is that of Owner, that I have read the above foregoing statement, and that I know of my own personal knowledge that the information herein stated is true.

Larry Slepikas
(Signed)

Subscribed and sworn to before me this August day of 1993.



J. Anderson
(Notary Public)

NOTE: Water permits may be cancelled for nonconstruction within the five year construction period. Once a water permit is developed and the water used, the permit becomes a right. A water right may be lost for three reasons:

1. Abandonment - no intent to use water and use is abandoned.
2. Forfeiture - no use of water for three year period without legal excuse.
3. For a third violation of a condition of a water permit/right.

RECEIPT

Division of Water Rights

South Dakota Department of Environment and Natural Resources

149-3
413845

Pierre, August 5, 19 93

RECEIVED OF Mr. J. F. Ziegler, Diron, SD 57350

the following amount in fees for services rendered as provided for by law:

Fee for Application for Permit No. _____ to Appropriate Water, to construct
and to put water to beneficial use _____

Fee for Application for Permit No. _____ to Appropriate Water, for Future
Use _____

Fee for Extension Permit No. _____ after period of seven years.

Fee for Inspecting Constructed Works, confirming beneficial use and issuing Water
License No. _____

Fee for Filing Transfer Form _____

Fee for Filing Extension Request _____

Fee for _____

(Any Other Work Provided by Law)

Total

2 50

2 50

By John H. H. H. H.
Chief Engineer

149-3



**DEPARTMENT of ENVIRONMENT
and NATURAL RESOURCES**

JOE FOSS BUILDING
523 EAST CAPITOL
PIERRE SOUTH DAKOTA 57501-3181

August 12, 1993

No. 149-3

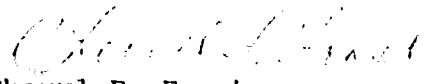
Leroy Slepikas
RR 2, Box 246
Huron, SD 57350

Dear Mr. Slepikas:

Enclosed is a receipt in the amount of \$2.50 which you paid for the transfer of Water Right No. 149-3.

Our records now show you as the owner of Water Right No. 149-3.

Sincerely,


Cheryl F. Frost
Secretary
Water Rights Division
(605) 773-3352

enclosure